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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: HELLBERG et al.) Examiner: Kamal A. SAEED
Application No.: 10/723,208)
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For: NOVEL ARYLAZINOPROPANE ANALOGUES AND THEIR USE FOR THE TREATMENT OF
GLAUCOMA

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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December 15, 2005

Sir:

This Request for Reconsideration is in response to the final Office Action dated August 26, 2005, for which the Examiner has set a three-month period for response. A petition for a one-month extension of time and the requisite fee are submitted herewith, thus making the response due on or before December 26, 2005.

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